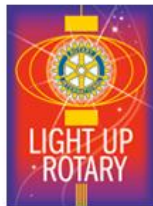


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NO MEETING Thur., July 10, 2014

RI President Huang Reception in the evening
(details under Rotary Events)

JULY MEETINGS/EVENTS

- 01 NEW ROTARY YEAR BEGINS
- 03 Carla Borgaila, Historic Squirrel Cage Jail
- 09 Board Meeting, 12 pm, US Bank, 421 S. Broadway, 4th Floor
- 10 NO MEETING - RI President Huang Reception (see Rotary Events)
- 17 IWCC Education to Employment Opportunities
- 24 Historic Dodge House
- 31 Vocational Talks: Keith Jones & TBA

JULY BIRTHDAYS

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|--------------------|--------------------|
| 03 Lisa Emken | 21 Linda Robicheau |
| 03 Charlie Johnson | 23 Jerry Hempel |
| 11 Matt Gronstal | 25 Nancy Schulze |
| 15 Mike Kenealy | 28 Dick Christie |

July	Song Leader, Thought for the Day, Pledge	Clipper	Greeter
03	Greg Witte	Paul Bass	Donna Barry
10	N/A	N/A	N/A
17	Marcia Antworth	Carl Heinrich	TBA
24	Kathy Rieger	Pete Tulipana	TBA
31	Larry Knotek	Paul Hamilton	TBA

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MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

MONDAY

North – Noon, Eppley Airport Conference Center
Bellevue – Noon, DJ's Dugout, 2440 Cornhusker Rd
Millard – Noon, German American Society, 3717 S 120th St

TUESDAY

Morning – 7 am, Happy Hollow Club, 1701 S 105th St
Northwest – Noon, Champions Run, 13800 Eagle Run Dr
Southwest – 5:15 pm, Millard Plaza Ballroom, 5339 S 139 Plz

WEDNESDAY

Downtown – Noon, Field Club, 3615 Woolworth Ave
Council Bluffs Centennial – 7 am, Hy-Vee, Madison Ave

THURSDAY

Suburban – Noon, Anthony's, 7220 F St
Western Douglas County – 7 am, Elkhorn Common Ground
Community Center, 1701 Veterans Dr

FRIDAY

West – Noon, Champions Run, 13800 Eagle Run Dr

E-Club Meeting Links:

www.rotaryclub7210.org

www.rotaryclubone.org

www.rotaryclubny1.com

www.rotaryclub7890.org

www.rotaryclubsouthwest.org

www.rotaryclub34.org

Rotary Events

Celebration Dinner for Rotary International President Gary Huang from Taiwan - Thur., July 10, 6:30 pm social, followed by dinner at the Omaha Hilton Hotel, 1001 Cass St. Cost: \$48. Guests are welcome. The July 10 noon meeting is canceled to encourage attendance at the reception. Please honor President Huang with your presence. 2 attendance credits will be given. *Questions? Contact Nicki Klein at nklein2@neb.rr.com or 402.429.2789.* **Volunteers needed to set up and tear down decorations and to help with registration, hosting, etc. Please contact the Exec. Dir. to volunteer.**

Rotary Volunteers Needed for Westfair - The Club's shift is Sat., July 26, 8 am-1 pm. At least 2 volunteers are needed to manage the entry gates. 2 attendance credits will be given. Please contact the Exec Dir. by July 11 to volunteer.

Announcements

Thank you to Celebrate Catering for providing our weekly meals. Please contact Stacy to cater your event. Call 712-322-2580 or visit www.celebratecatering4u.com.

Links:

Rotary International Website: www.rotary.org

District 5650 Website: www.rotarydistrict5650.org

District Facebook: www.facebook.com/rotarydistrict5650

July 3 Program Carla Borgaila Historic Squirrel Cage Jail

The Jail was built in 1885 and was in continuous use until 1969. It was acquired by the Council Bluffs Park Board in 1971 for preservation, and was named to the National Register of Historic Places in 1972 by the United States Government. The Historical Society led an effort in 1977 to save the jail, and today owns and operates the facility.

The design and size of the jail make it a one-of-a-kind structure. It was one of 18 revolving ("squirrel cage", "human rotary", or "lazy Susan") jails built. It is the only three-story one ever built.

Built at a cost of about \$30,000, our unique jail has three floors of revolving pie-shaped cells inside a cage. The front part of the building had offices for the jailer, kitchen, trustee cells, and quarters for women.

The design was the invention of William H. Brown and Benjamin F. Haugh, both of Indianapolis, Indiana. A patent issued to them on July 12, 1881, declared, "The object of our invention is to produce a jail in which prisoners can be controlled without the necessity of personal contact between them and the jailer." It was to provide "maximum security with minimum jailer attention." As one deputy put it, "If a jailer could count ... and he had a trusty he could trust ... he could control the jail".

The cell section remains much as it did in 1969 when it was closed by the county. The signatures and dates of many of its infamous prisoners remain scratched in the cell walls. It remains a well restored snapshot of an interesting era of our society.

Today, only 3 revolving jails remain: a one-story structure in Gallatin, Missouri; a two-story jail in Crawfordsville, Indiana; and the unique three-story jail here. All three are preserved as museums.

The Squirrel Cage Jail provides students and adults the opportunity to experience first-hand a unique piece of cultural and architectural history and to gain an understanding of this building's unique place in cultural and national history. Its one-of-a-kind structure is unlikely to be duplicated again.

Information taken from www.thehistoricalsociety.org.